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IN RE APPLICATION OF: : GROUP ART UNIT: 1615

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FOR: ANHYDROUS AND WATER-RESISTANT COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action dated January 24, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following remarks and attached Declarations.

<u>REMARKS</u>

Attached hereto are Reissue Declarations for this case. As the Examiner will note, one co-inventor signed one of the Declarations, and the three other co-inventors signed the other Declaration. Both Declarations list all co-inventors.

The Examiner is requested to confirm receipt of an IDS prior to the allowance of this